

WESTERN HILLS NORTH

Neighborhood Association Newsletter-January 2019

LVT Rise Director to Speak

Karmen Rubin, the founding executive director of LVTRise, will speak at the January meeting. LVTRise is a non-profit devoted to enhancing the quality of life in the Las Vegas Trail community.

Karmen is the former Director of Employment Programs for Goodwill Industries of Fort Worth. She oversaw client outreach and relationship management related to client intake, job training and placement services for homeless and intimate risk clients and their families. Previously, she was a global business developer for Walter P. Moore and Associates.

Karmen received her Bachelor of Science in Health Studies Management and Marketing from the University of Louisiana at Monroe and her Master of Business Administration from Louisiana State University, Shreveport.

She is a current member of the 2018-2019 Leadership Fort Worth Class and a member of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.

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General Meeting Dates for 2019

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| January 10 | Executive Director/LVTRise |
| April 11 | Code Enforcement |
| July 11 | Public Safety |
| October 10 | TBD/Election of Officers |

All meetings are at 6:30 at Western Hills United Methodist Church, 2820 Laredo.

Welcome New NPO

Cory Carpenter is our new Neighborhood Police Officer. He has been with the City of Fort Worth for 5 years, serving as a patrol officer in the Las Vegas Trail area most of that time. NPO Carpenter also worked in the W. 7th Street area. He moved to the NPO Unit about 7 months ago, working in the University/8th Avenue area. When our neighborhood became available, he gladly accepted his new assignment.

NPO Carpenter is looking forward to attending our January meeting. In the meantime, he offers some tips:

Report criminal activity to 9-1-1. Police want to hear from all witnesses to a crime.

When you leave your car, lock your vehicle.

Light your property.

Buy a security camera.

NPO Carpenter's office number is 817.392.4494.

Vehicle Damage Report

If your vehicle received damage from a BB gun on the night of December 11 and you have not reported it to the police, please call NPO Carpenter at 817.392.4494 to report it. You may be reimbursed.

Citizens on Patrol

Jim Gibson is desperately recruiting volunteers for Citizens on Patrol. He currently does not have enough volunteers to adequately patrol our neighborhood. Email Jim at jp.gibsons@gmail.com for more information.

Lunches for 2019

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| January 5 | Spring Creek Barbecue |
| April 4 | Buffalo West |
| July 6 | Cancun Restaurant |
| October 5 | Billy's Oak Acres BBQ |

All lunches are on a Saturday at 11:30.

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